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## WEST AFRICA.

**BRITISH AND FRENCH INTERESTS.**  
LONDON, Nov. 8.  
M. Hanotaux, the French Minister for Foreign Affairs, has been compelled, owing to pressure brought to bear by the French press, to announce that the French Government will not support the French proposal to send a naval expedition to the Upper Niger, on the ground of the opposition made by France in Dahomey and the Western Sudan.

## THE SOUDAN EXPEDITION.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
Reports from the Sudan state that four companies of the Anglo-Egyptian Expedition have been ordered to proceed to the Sudan, and that the expedition is now being organized. The expedition is expected to leave for the Sudan in the near future.

## PRUSSIAN POLAND.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
The Prussian Government proposes to spend 100,000,000 marks (about £3,000,000) in buying out Polish landowners and replacing them by Germans.

## LABOUR TROUBLES IN ENGLAND.

## THE LONDON BOILERMAKERS.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
The executive of the Boilermakers and Iron and Steel Shipbuilders has suspended the members of the London branch, owing to the members refusing to return to work.

## COMPULSORY ARBITRATION.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
Mr. P. H. Reeves, Agent-General for New Zealand, delivered an address yesterday before the Industrial Conference held at the Balliol College, Oxford, on the subject of compulsory arbitration in relation to labour disputes.

## GREAT BRITAIN AND THE COLONIES.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
In the course of his recent speech at Glasgow, Mr. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, said that Great Britain some time ago, standing alone and friendless, was threatened from all sides by the first of the colonies, who were willing to make any sacrifice to come to her aid.

## BRITISH TRADE.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
The Board of Trade returns for October show a decrease in the exports of machinery to the value of £465,041 as compared with the corresponding month of 1896.

## THE BRITISH CURRENCY.

LONDON, Nov. 9.  
A memorial, signed by 1200 manufacturers of Lancashire, has been presented to Mr. Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, urging the Government to tamper with monetary reform.

## A STEAMER WRECKED.

## NINETEEN LIVES LOST.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
The steamer Indaba has been wrecked during a storm on Lake Erie, Canada. Nineteen persons were drowned.

## DEATH OF A SHIP CAPTAIN.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
The French barque Camille, which was on a voyage to New South Wales, on 10th, has arrived at the latter port. The captain, M. Jamet, died on the voyage.

## THE FOCHOW TEA MARKET.

FOCHOW, Nov. 9.  
The Fochow tea market for Australia is valued at 4,000,000. It is not expected that more than 250,000 will be shipped, giving a total for the month of 4,750,000. Supplies have now been exhausted. Stocks are almost nil, and it is left to order an inducement to producers. The market is virtually dead for the season.

## THE WHEAT MARKET.

LONDON, Nov. 8.  
At Mark Lane wheat is quoted 6d per bushel lower for the week.

## NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN LAND COMPANY.

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## THE PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.

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The Prince of Wales' birthday was celebrated yesterday at the Royal Albert Hall. The Prince and Princess of Wales were present, and a large number of guests.

THE INDIAN FRONTIER.  
A BRITISH CONVOY AMBUSHED.  
FIERCE HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING.

## LONDON, Nov. 9.

Further news from the north-western frontier of India states that, owing to the obstinacy of the Yakkha Khela, General Sir William Lockhart has been compelled to destroy their villages. A British convoy while making its way through the Arang Pass fell into an ambush, and was fired upon by the tribesmen from only a few paces distant. Several men were killed.

## A STAMPEDE OCCURRED AMONGST THE MULES.

The troops in the darkness became separated, and fierce hand-to-hand encounters ensued.

## EVENTUALLY SUPPORT ARRIVED, AND THE ENEMY RETREATED.

The British troops, supported by the arrival of reinforcements, eventually defeated the enemy, who retreated in confusion.

## DOMESTIC TRAGEDY IN PARIS.

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The success of Anglo-Saxon blood is to be seen in the pleasure with which the Sydney residents met yesterday the Prince of Wales' birthday. The Prince of Wales' birthday was celebrated yesterday at the Royal Albert Hall. The Prince and Princess of Wales were present, and a large number of guests.

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**RESCUED AT SEA.**  
The steamer *Graham* reports that shortly after leaving the Tachien, a ship arrived off Shanghai on September 27, captured and towed ashore. The ship was on board. The Tachien steamer did not see the ship until the third morning. The ship was taken off by four men and a boy from the Tachien. The ship was taken off by four men and a boy from the Tachien. The ship was taken off by four men and a boy from the Tachien.

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no great distance from the seaboard. The soil of the workman is moulded on his son, and improved from generation to generation. Her position is the centre of the land, but divided from the rest of it by the sea, which also turns into another agent of it by making what is a separating line into a means of communication. The machinery, made from her iron and fed by her coal, can produce cotton and woolen goods better and cheaper than they can be brought in the distant homes of the raw materials—America and Australia. Hence the cotton picker is clad in America with materials woven in England.

the sub-tropical to the West Riding of Yorkshire or the West of England. The Australian squatter does not find abundance of coal and iron and secure shelter and energetic labourers at any remote period, but he may acquire the unique geographical position of England. At the present time New South Wales is in the centre of the water and the sparsely populated land.

Mr. C. C. C. points out that in the number of emblems in the clothing industry there was a fall of 52 works in 1896 under freetrade. Let us see how he works out, taking the population of the colony at 1,200,000, and assuming that only 21 per cent is devoted to clothing in a year. An all valuations

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Here the one Treasurer in this colony, who has nearly three millions more than that of the other colonies, will be the sole Treasurer when there are no more excise duties on candles, sugar, &c. are swept away.

The secretary of the Chamber of Manufactures says: "The principal industry which suffers by the duty on candles is the tallow and candle industry. In 1840 the duty was 12d. per lb. but in 1846 only 6d. Let us investigate this. Again taking the population at 1,200,000, and supposing that 1 lb. of tallow is burnt by every 10 persons per week, we could easily establish a business of 120,000 lbs. per week. It would be a very profitable business."

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ment. His "natural industries" mean agriculture and stock raising, the sources of wealth, but his "artificial industries" mean the factory system. The way of life of the farmer and the stock raiser is a life of freedom, and the way of life of the factory worker is a life of slavery. The farmer and the stock raiser are free to use their own land and their own labor as they see fit. The factory worker is not free to use his own labor as he sees fit. He is forced to work for the factory owner, and the factory owner is forced to pay him a wage. The factory owner is not free to use his own capital as he sees fit. He is forced to pay the factory worker a wage, and the factory worker is forced to work for the factory owner. The factory owner is not free to use his own capital as he sees fit. He is forced to pay the factory worker a wage, and the factory worker is forced to work for the factory owner. The factory owner is not free to use his own capital as he sees fit. He is forced to pay the factory worker a wage, and the factory worker is forced to work for the factory owner.

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 three years ago. Men were brought from New  
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 could they come if work was plentiful and wages  
 better than the "land of the moor"?  
 Protection destroys work, lowers wages, and  
 takes the money out of the country. Last year  
 the wool trade was down 10 per cent.

STORON exported 1,212,000 tons of iron ore received, being \$400,000 more than the year before. The value of the exports was \$14,500,000 for this last of bright and sunny. It is a synthesis of its theory. It robe Peter to give the day's work, both being studied that the future of the day—unimpure banished from England  
I am, etc.  
G. METCALFE, M.A.

**TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.**  
Sir,—As a member of the New South Wales Association of Manufacturers I am surprised to see a letter signed by G. T. Clarke as secretary of the Association. This letter being purely and simply a forgery.

**A MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATION.**

A new book by Sir Norman Lockyer, K.C.B., F.R.S., "The Sun and the Stars," published by Mr. George Macmillan & Co., Ltd., London, 1911, is a most interesting and valuable work. It is a book for the people, and is written in a clear and simple style. It is a book for the people, and is written in a clear and simple style. It is a book for the people, and is written in a clear and simple style.

R.S., will shortly be published by  
Hill and Co., under the title "Recent and  
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Solar Eclipses of 1893, 1896, and 1898.

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MONEY AND COMMERCIAL.

**Monday Evening.**  
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THE SYDNEY WOOL SALES.

The Sydney Wool-selling Association report that the wool was sold at a high price, and the market was very active. The price of the 3% bond was 100s. 10d. The market for commodities was also quiet, and the price of wheat was 10s. 6d. The market for stocks was also quiet, and the price of the 3% bond was 100s. 10d.

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